

Ladies and Gentlemen,

Consider this message a "Heads Up" notice. If warranted, DSCP will initiate an ALFOODACT. FYI, I've pasted a copy of the DSCP Vendor Recall Notice below:

SUBJECT: DSCP Vendor Recall 026-2003: Undercooked Roast Beef and Pastrami Products

Date Issued: September 2, 2003

Recall Notification Level: Institutional level (food service stores)

RECALL NOTIFICATION REPORT
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
FOOD SAFETY AND INSPECTION SERVICE

PRODUCTS RECALLED: Roast Beef and Pastrami Products

PRODUCTION DATES/IDENTIFYING CODES :

1. Approximately 4 lb. boxes of "mosey's Deli Roast Beef." Included on each label is the production code, "10767F" and the sell by date, "Oct 12, 03." These products were produced on Aug. 7 2003, and distributed to food service distributors in Pennsylvania and Florida.

2. Approximately 12 lb. boxes of "mosey's Deli, Cooked Beef Round, Pastrami, And Ten Percent Water." Included on each label is the production code, "10676" and the sell by date, "Sep 20, 03." These products were produced on July 18, 03, and distributed to food service distributors in Florida, Massachusetts, New Jersey and New York.

3. Approximately 6 lb. boxes of "mosey's Cooked Beef Round, Pastrami." Included on each label is the production code, "10773F" and the sell by date, "Nov 06 03." These products were produced on Aug. 8, 2003 and distributed to a food service distributor in Massachusetts.

All of the products subject to recall also bear the establishment code "EST. 7467" inside the USDA mark of inspection.

PROBLEM/REASON FOR RECALL: Undercooked

HOW/WHEN DISCOVERED: Routine IIC inspection (records verification).

FEDERAL ESTABLISHMENT: Est. 7467
Field Packing
6 Dublin Lane
Owensboro, KY 42301

CONSUMER CONTACT: Viki Payne, Consumer Affairs, (270) 852-6354

MEDIA CONTACT: Karen Durand, VP Marketing, (859) 344-3721

QUANTITY RECALLED: Approximately 7000 pounds

DISTRIBUTION: Pennsylvania, Florida, Massachusetts, New Jersey and New York (area of distribution depending on the type of product, please refer to product description above).

RECALL CLASSIFICATION: Class I

RECALL NOTIFICATION LEVEL: Institutional level (food service stores)

PRESS RELEASE: Yes

DIRECT NOTIFICATION MEANS: The firm has notified its customers orally and in writing.

FSIS FOLLOWUP ACTIVITIES: Effectiveness checks by the FSIS, Field Operations, Raleigh District Office.

OTHER AGENCIES INVOLVED: None

FSIS CONTACTS:

FSIS Recall Coordinator: (215) 597-4219

Consumer Inquiries: 1-800-535-4555

Media Inquiries: 202-720-9113

Congressional Inquiries: 202-720-3897

Recall Management: 202-690-6389

Web site: http://www.fsis.usda.gov/oa/recalls/rec_intr.htm

DATE OF RECALL MEETING: August 29, 2003

RECALL CASE NUMBER: 043-2003

DSCP INSTRUCTIONS:

(1) Secure in a "Medical Hold" status to provide assurance of no further issue/sale/use of the item.

(2) Return recalled product to manufacturer via the vendor representative.

The Point Of Contact for this Vendor Recall notice is CW3 Melinda Strother, Consumer Safety Officer, at DSCP-HS. VOICE, DSN: 444-7746/2911, Commercial (215) 737-7746/2911, or by FAX, DSN: 444-7526, or Commercial, (215) 737-7526.